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Deloy and Earl Shumway
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Dear Mr. Shumway:

Inspections of the Travertine #8-9 mine site were completed on August 26, 2002 and on September 23, 2002 in order to document any clean up of the site that has occurred since the cessation order of August 12, 2002. Earl Shumway was at the site to discuss his occupancy needs including; fencing, a gate, trailer house and equipment storage. This letter recognizes that the concerns in the cessation order have been resolved and authorizes several items. For your convenience a list of authorized items is enclosed.

The following occupancy at the site was agreed to: chain link fencing of a rock storage and staging area with 2 gates for vehicle access. A gate may be placed across the mine road as discussed in the field. Although this blocks public access to the mine site, it does not block any pre-existing roads or trails and is necessary for public safety and for the security of mining equipment. A trailer house, approximately 16 feet long, is currently being used by Earl and may remain at the site as an operator/watchman shack while operations are on going.

Equipment at the site included: a white closed bed/lockable truck which is used for tool storage, a red flat bed truck with a generator mounted on the back (which will be used by the operator for transportation to the site, fueling other equipment, etc.), 2 small generators, 1 compressor and a loader/backhoe. All of this equipment is authorized and recognized as incident to mining. Earl also stated that he would be purchasing a tumbler to place at the site and use in preparation of rock material for sale. It was agreed that all of this equipment would be kept behind the gate when it is not in use, and preferably in the draw where it is out of sight. The tumbler may be located within the fenced staging area below the mine site for ease of processing.

The gate, which had been partially constructed by July 18, 2002, has been taken down and the burned motor home debris has been removed as required, with the exception of the flat bed portion of the motor home. Earl requested that this item be left on the site so that it can be repaired and made into a functional flat bed trailer. This is approved, so long as the flat bed trailer is made into a usable item within 30 days of receipt of this letter.

We wish to remind you that all equipment at the site must be maintained and operable and must be incident to the mining operation, and that any additional items are not authorized unless written approval is received, and that the BLM must be notified before additional equipment is taken to the site.

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If you have any questions regarding your notice on file with this office, please call Denice Swanke at (435) 259-2141. Thank you for your assistance in bringing your operation into compliance with the new 3809 regulations.

Sincerely,

/s/ Margaret Wyatt

Maggie Wyatt
Field Office Manager

Enclosure as stated

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EQUIPMENT AND OCCUPANCY ITEMS AUTHORIZED FOR THE TRAVERTINE #8-9

These items must be maintained in accordance with the Federal regulations at 43 CFR 3715. No other items are authorized to remain at the site until written concurrence is received from the BLM. This list is effective as of September 23, 2002.

1. Chain link fencing of a rock storage and staging area with 2 gates for vehicle access, as shown on attached map
2. A gate may be placed across the mine road as discussed in the field
3. A trailer house, approximately 16 feet long, may remain at the site as an operator/watchman shack while operations are on going. This trailer should be removed from the site if operations cease during the winter and summer months in order to prevent an opportunity for vandalism.
4. A white closed bed/lockable truck to be used for storage of tools and equipment
5. A red flat bed truck with a generator mounted on the back that will be used by the operator for transportation to the site, fueling other equipment, etc.
6. 2 small generators
7. 1 compressor
8. A rock tumbler
9. A loader/backhoe

Travertine #8-#9 Mine Equipment & Occupancy Authorization as of 09/23/02

